

**Response Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 3775**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of **RANDALL J. HUEBNER** Date: January 13, 2009  
Serial No. : **10/717,015** Docket No.: ACM 367  
Filed : **November 19, 2003** Art Unit: 3775  
For : **BONE PLATES WITH SLOTS** Examiner: Anuradha Ramana

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## RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Please consider the following amendments and remarks being filed under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 in response to the final Office action dated November 13, 2008:

Amendments to the Specification	None
Amendments to the Claims	Claim Listing begins on page 2
Amendments to the Drawings	None
Remarks	Begin on page 9